

**Final
Draft Site-Specific Safety and Health Plan Attachment
Site Investigation at
Range 25, Known Distance Range
Parcel 83Q and Impact Area, Parcel 118Q-X
Fort McClellan
Calhoun County, Alabama**

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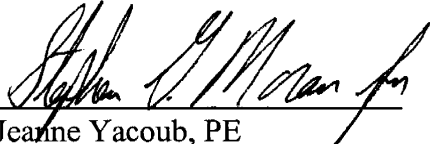
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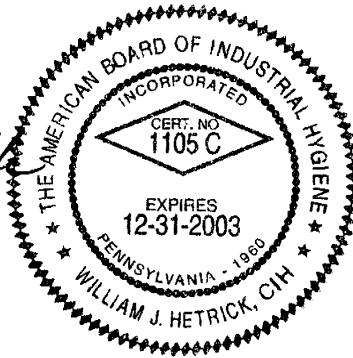
Site-Specific Safety and Health Plan Attachment Approval Fort McClellan, Calhoun County, Alabama

I have read and approve this site-specific safety and health plan attachment for the Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q and Impact Area, Parcel 118Q-X, Fort McClellan, Alabama, with respect to project hazards, regulatory requirements, and IT Corporation procedures.



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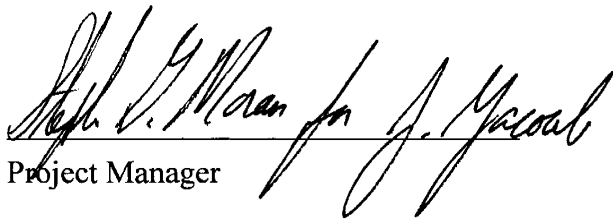
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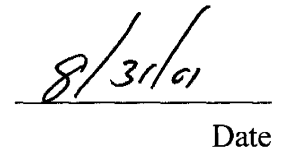

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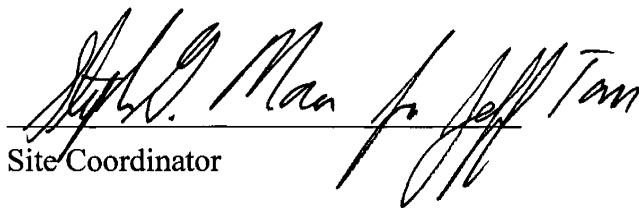
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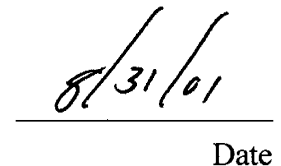
The approved version of this site-specific safety and health plan (SSHP) attachment for the Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q and Impact Area, Parcel 118Q-X, Fort McClellan, Calhoun County, Alabama, has been provided to the site coordinator. I acknowledge my responsibility to provide the site coordinator with the equipment, materials, and qualified personnel to implement fully all safety requirements in this SSHP attachment. I will formally review this plan with the health and safety staff every 6 months until project completion.


Project Manager


Date

I acknowledge that I have received this SSHP attachment from the project manager and that it is my responsibility to explain its contents to all site personnel and cause these requirements to be fully implemented. Any change in conditions, scope of work, or other change that might affect worker safety requires me to notify the project manager and the health and safety manager.


Site Coordinator


Date

I have been informed of, and will abide by, the procedures set forth in this site-specific safety and health plan attachment for work activities on Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q, and Impact Area, Parcel 118Q-X, Fort McClellan, Calhoun County, Alabama.

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Fort McClellan Gate Hours

Baltzell Gate	Baltzell Road. Open 24 hours daily, 7 days a week.
Galloway Gate	Galloway Road. Open 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Fort McClellan Project Emergency Contacts

Range Control Office (Main Post)	(256) 848-6772
Fire Department (off post)	911
Ambulance (off post)	911
Regional Medical Center	(256) 235-5121
Military Police (SSG Busch)	(256) 848-5680, 848-4824
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Anniston Police Department	(256) 238-1800
Chemical Agent Emergencies	(256) 895-1598
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UXO Non emergencies/Reporting Only (Ronald Levy)	(256) 848-3758
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List of Acronyms

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1.0 Site Work Plan Summary

Project Objective. The objective of this supplemental site investigation at Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q, and Impact Area, Parcel 118Q-X, is to install groundwater monitoring wells, collect surface soil samples, subsurface soil samples, groundwater samples, and surface water and sediment samples. These samples will be collected to determine whether potential site-specific chemicals (PSSC) are present and to provide data for further characterization of the site to determine the environmental conditions and determine if any further action is to be conducted at the site. Additionally, samples will be collected from environmental media in locations that will assist in the assessment of potential ecological impacts resulting from previous activities at the site.

Project Tasks:

- Conduct a surface and near-surface unexploded ordnance (UXO) survey over all areas to be included in the supplemental sampling effort
- Provide downhole anomaly support for all intrusive drilling to determine potential buried downhole hazards
- Utility clearances
- Surface and subsurface soil sampling
- Surface water and sediment sampling
- Installation of monitoring wells
- Groundwater sampling
- Surveying.

Personnel Requirements. Up to 15 employees are anticipated for this scope of work.

Note: All personnel on this site shall have received training, informational programs, and medical surveillance as outlined in the installation-wide safety and health plan (SHP) for site

investigations at Fort McClellan (FTMC) and shall be familiar with the requirements of this site-specific safety and health plan (SSHP).

This SSHP must be used in conjunction with the installation-wide SHP and the installation-wide ordnance and explosive management plan (OEMP), FTMC, Alabama.

2.0 Site Characterization and Analysis

2.1 Anticipated Hazards

The activity hazard analysis in Chapter 5.0 contains project-specific practices utilized to reduce or eliminate anticipated site hazards for the project tasks described in Section 1.0. The activity hazard analysis describes specific chemical and physical hazards that may be present and encountered during each task from on-site operations. Below each task is a list of hazards and specific actions that will be taken to control the respective hazards. These control measures may include work practice controls, engineering controls, and/or use of appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE). Site control with the use of specific work zones (support zone, contamination reduction zone, and exclusion zone) is addressed in Chapter 7.0 of Appendix A of the IT Corporation (IT), August 2000, *Final Installation-Wide Sampling and Analysis Plan, Fort McClellan, Calhoun County, Alabama*.

Range 25 is located on the Central Main Post. Weapons fired at this range include various small arms, e.g., M-14 (7.62 millimeter [mm]), M-16 (5.56mm), M-1 (.30 caliber), and M-60 (7.62mm) with tracers (white phosphorus). Range 25 is one of the oldest ranges at FTMC and is first recorded on a map dated 1937. Long-time FTMC personnel believe that Range 25 was constructed as a 600-yard known distance range for training using M-1903 Springfield (.30 caliber) and M-1 Garand rifles (.30 caliber). They report that this range was also used as a machine gun range. Records maintained at FTMC Range Control indicate that the range was used for M-14 training. All previous records are unavailable. Day-and-night-phase firing was practiced here.

Numerous mortar rounds were observed by Environmental Science and Engineering (ESE) personnel on the ground surface in an impact area behind (north) of the Range 25 berm (Parcel 118Q-X). Ordnance items, including mortar and artillery rounds, are sometimes encountered after heavy rains. Numerous 3-inch mortar rounds were observed behind the backstop at this

range during the site visit by ESE personnel preparing the environmental baseline survey. Personnel of the 142nd Explosive Ordnance Disposal (EOD) accompanied ESE personnel to this site and report that these 3-inch mortar rounds appeared to be sand-filled or otherwise inert. Practice rounds were sometimes filled with sand.

Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q, and Impact Area, Parcel 118Q-X, fall within the “Possible Artillery Impact Areas” shown on Plate 10 of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers July 1999 *Archives Search Report, Maps, Fort McClellan, Anniston, Alabama*. Therefore, UXO surface sweeps and downhole surveys of soil borings will be required to support field activities at Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q, and Impact Area, Parcel 118Q-X. The surface sweeps and downhole surveys will be conducted to identify anomalies for the purposes of UXO avoidance.

Procedures contained in the Site-Specific UXO Safety Plan shall be followed for all site activities associated with this investigation.

Table 2-1 lists the toxicological properties of chemicals anticipated or to be used at Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q, and Impact Area, Parcel 118Q-X, Fort McClellan, Calhoun County, Alabama.

2.2 General Site Information

Location of Site. FTMC is located in the foothills of the Appalachian Mountains of northeastern Alabama near the cities of Anniston and Weaver in Calhoun County. FTMC is approximately 60 miles northeast of Birmingham, 75 miles northwest of Auburn and 95 miles west of Atlanta, Georgia. FTMC consists of three main areas of government-owned and leased properties: Main Post, Pelham Range, and Choccolocco Corridor (lease terminated in May 1998). The area of study for this site investigation at Range 25 is located on the Central Main Post. Range 25 is now leased to the Alabama National Guard.

Duration of Planned Employee Activity. Employee activity duration is anticipated to be less than two months.

Table 2-1

**Toxicological Properties of Chemicals
Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q and
Impact Area, Parcel 118Q-X
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Substance [CAS]	IP ^a (eV)	Odor Threshold (ppm)	Route ^b	Symptoms of Exposure	Treatment	TWA ^c	STEL ^d	Source ^e	IDLH (NIOSH) ^f
Acetone [67-64-1]	9.7	13-100	Inh Ing Con	Irritated eyes, nose, and throat; headache, dizziness; dermatitis.	Eye: Irrigate immediately Skin: Soap wash immediately Breath: Respiratory support Swallow: Immediate medical attention	750 ppm 750 ppm 250 ppm	1,000 ppm 1,000 ppm	PEL TLV REL	20,000 ppm
Sodium hydroxide [1310-73-2]	NA	NA	Inh Ing Con	Irritated nose; pneumonitis; burns eyes, and skin; temporary loss of hair.	Eye: Irrigate immediately Skin: Water flush immediately Breath: Respiratory support Swallow: Immediate medical attention	2 mg/m ³ C 2 mg/m ³ C 2 mg/m ³			
Fuel oil (diesel oil, medium)	?	?	Ing Inh Con	Ingestion causes nausea, vomiting, and cramps; depressed central nervous system, headache, coma, death; pulmonary irritation; kidney and liver damage; aspiration causes severe lung irritation, coughing, gagging, dyspnea, substernal stress, pulmonary edema; broncho- pneumonia; excited, then depressed, central nervous system.	Eye: Irrigate promptly Skin: Soap wash Breath: Respiratory support Swallow: Immediate medical attention Aspiration: Immediate medical attention			PEL TLV REL	

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Substance [CAS]	IP ^a (eV)	Odor Threshold (ppm)	Route ^b	Symptoms of Exposure	Treatment	TWA ^c	STEL ^d	Source ^e	IDLH (NIOSH) ^f
Gasoline [8006-61-9]	?	0.3	Inh Ing Con	Intoxication, headaches, blurred vision, dizziness, nausea; eye, nose throat irritation; potential kidney and other cancers. Carcinogenic.	Eye: Irrigate immediately (15 min) Skin: Soap wash promptly Breath: Respiratory support Swallow: Immediate medical attention	300 ppm 300 ppm Ca, lowest feasible conc. (LOQ 15 ppm)	500 ppm 500 ppm	PEL TLV REL	1400 ppm (10% LEL)
Lead [7439-92-1]	N/A	N/A	Inh Ing Con	Lightheadedness; nausea, headache; numbness of the extremities, muscular weakness; irritation of the eyes and nose; dermatitis; chemical pneumonia; giddiness.	Eye: Irrigate immediately Skin: Soap wash immediately Breath: Respiratory support Swallow: Immediate medical attention	0.050 mg/m ³ 0.050 mg/m ³ 0.100 mg/m ³		PEL TLV REL	100 mg/m ³
Isopropyl alcohol (isopropanol) [67-63-0]	10.16	43-200	Inh Ing Con	Mild irritation of the eyes, nose, and throat; drowsiness, dizziness, headache; dry, cracked skin.	Eye: Irrigate immediately Skin: Water flush Breath: Respiratory support Swallow: Immediate medical attention	400 ppm 400 ppm 400 ppm	500 ppm 500 ppm 500 ppm	PEL TLV REL	2,000 ppm
Motor Oil [NA]	?	?	Inh Ing	Irritated eyes, skin, respiratory system; usually only a problem if misted or ingested.	Eye: Irrigate immediately (15 min) Skin: Soap wash immediately Swallow: Immediate medical attention			PEL TLV REL	
Nitric acid [7697-37-2]	11.95	0.3-1	Inh Ing Con	Irritated eyes, mucous membranes, and skin; delayed pulmonary edema, pneumonitis, bronchitis; dental erosion.	Eye: Irrigate immediately Skin: Water flush promptly Breath: Respiratory support Swallow: Immediate medical attention	2 ppm 2 ppm 2 ppm	4 ppm 4 ppm 4 ppm	PEL TLV REL	25ppm

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Substance [CAS]	IP ^a (eV)	Odor Threshold (ppm)	Route ^b	Symptoms of Exposure	Treatment	TWA ^c	STEL ^d	Source ^e	IDLH (NIOSH) ^f
Portland cement [65997-15-1]	NA	NA	Inh	Fine gray powder that can be irritating if inhaled or in eyes.	Eye: Irrigate immediately Skin: Soap wash immediately Breath: Respiratory support Swallow: Immediate medical attention	5 mg/m ³ respirable fraction 15 mg/m ³ total dust 10 mg/m ³ 10 mg/m ³ / total dust		PEL TLV REL	5000 mg/m ³

^aIP = Ionization potential (electron volts).

^bRoute = Inh, Inhalation; Abs, Skin absorption; Ing, Ingestion; Con, Skin and/or eye contact.

^cTWA = Time-weighted average. The TWA concentration for a normal work day (usually 8 or 10 hours) and a 40-hour work week, to which nearly all workers may be repeatedly exposed, day after day without adverse effect.

^dSTEL = Short-term exposure limit. A 15-minute TWA exposure that should not be exceeded at any time during a workday, even if the TWA is not exceeded.

^ePEL = Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) permissible exposure limit (29 CFR 1910.1000, Table Z).

AEL = Airborne Exposure Limit.

TLV = American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygiene (ACGIH) threshold limit value—TWA.

REL = National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) recommended exposure limit.

^fIDLH (NIOSH)—Immediately dangerous to life or health (NIOSH). Represents the maximum concentration from which, in the event of respirator failure, one could escape within 30 minutes without a respirator and without experiencing any escape-impairing or irreversible health effects.

NE = No evidence could be found for the existence of an IDLH (NIOSH Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards, Pub. 1998).

C = Ceiling limit value which should not be exceeded at any time.

Ca = Carcinogen.

NA = Not applicable.

? = Unknown.

LEL = Lower explosive limits.

LC₅₀ = Lethal concentration for 50 percent of population tested.

LD₅₀ = Lethal dose for 50 percent of population tested.

NIC = Notice of intended change (ACGIH).

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Workplace Environmental Exposure Levels, American Industrial Hygiene Association, 1992.

Site Topography and Size. The area of investigation, including the main area of Range 25 and the Impact Area, Parcel 118Q-X, is approximately 100 acres. The elevation ranges from 820 feet above mean sea level (ft amsl) at the Range 25 main site to 875 ft amsl in the northeast corner of the impact area, north of the Range 25 berm.

Pathways for Hazardous Substance Dispersion. Possible pathways for hazardous substances in the area are soils, sediments, and groundwater.

3.0 Personal Protective Equipment

The work activities will begin in the following levels of protection. Also, a completed description of Level D, Modified Level D, and Level C PPE is provided.

Task	Initial Level of PPE
Initial UXO avoidance sweep and equipment staging	Level D
Utility clearance	Level D
Surface water, sediment and surface soil sampling	Level D
Subsurface soil and groundwater sampling	Modified Level D*
Monitoring well installation	Modified Level D*
Surveying	Level D

*Initial level will be raised to Level C or higher if air monitoring results in the breathing zone (BZ) are greater than action levels.

Level D. The minimal level of protection that will be required of IT personnel at the site will be Level D. The following equipment will be used for Level D protection:

- Coveralls or work clothing
- Leather work gloves (when necessary)
- Steel-toed safety boots
- Safety glasses
- Hard hat
- Wear hearing protection (when working near/adjacent to operating equipment).

Modified Level D. The following equipment will be used for Level D-Modified protection:

- Permeable Tyvek, Kleenguard, or its equivalent
- Latex boot covers
- Nitrile, heavy work, or latex gloves
- Steel-toed safety boots
- Safety glasses
- Hard hat
- Hearing protection (when working near/adjacent to operating equipment)

Note: In addition to Modified Level D PPE, the operator of high-pressure water jetting equipment shall wear metatarsal guards for protection of the legs and feet and a face shield for protection from splashes.

Level C. Level C protection will not be used unless air-monitoring data indicates the need for upgrade; however, the equipment shall be readily available on site. The following equipment will be used for Level C protection:

- National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health/Mine Safety and Health Administration-approved full-face, air-purifying respirators equipped with organic vapor/acid gas cartridge in combination with high-efficiency particulate air filter
- Hooded, Saran-coated Tyvek, taped at gloves, boots, and respirator
- Nitrile gloves (outer)
- Latex or lightweight nitrile gloves (inner)
- Neoprene steel-toed boots or polyvinyl chloride overbooties/steel-toed safety boots
- Hard hat
- Hearing protection (when working near/adjacent to operating equipment).

Note: In addition to Level C PPE, the operator of high-pressure water jetting equipment shall wear metatarsal guards for protection of the legs and feet and a face shield for protection from splashes.

4.0 Site Monitoring

Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q, and Impact Area, Parcel 118Q-X, are parcels where no known or recorded storage, release, or disposal (including migration) of hazardous substances has occurred on site property, but they are qualified as ranges. The Impact Area, Parcel 118Q-X is qualified (-X) for potential UXO. Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q, and Impact Area, Parcel 118Q-X, also require additional evaluation to determine the environmental condition of the parcels. However, based on the land use history, the primary contaminants of potential concern are metals, primarily lead, and nitroexplosives.

Table 4-1 contains action levels for site monitoring at Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q, and Impact Area, Parcel 118Q-X.

Chemical. The site safety and health officer or task geologist shall perform air monitoring during the performance of site activities and ground intrusive operations. A calibrated photo ionization detector (e.g., Hnu DL-101 or equivalent) organic vapor analyzer will be utilized to monitor the sampling locations and BZs to determine if any organic material may be present that would necessitate upgrading of the protection level. A calibrated combustible gas/oxygen indicator will be utilized to monitor the borehole during monitoring well installation, work areas and BZs to determine if any combustible/flammable levels may be present that would necessitate evacuation of the work area. A Miniram PDM-3 or equivalent aerosol monitor shall be used to periodically monitor airborne dust when visible, since metals and lead are of potential concern. Table 4-2 contains the air monitoring frequency and location for site monitoring for Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q, and Impact Area, Parcel 118Q-X,

Unexploded Ordnance. UXO support for sampling activities is specified in the site-specific UXO safety plan developed for Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q, and Impact Area, Parcel 118Q-X. The UXO specialists will perform UXO avoidance sweeps prior to moving the heavy equipment onto the site. During this operation, UXO on the surface will be detected and

Table 4-1

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When in Level C PPE

Analyte	Action Level	Required Action ^a
VOCs (volatile organic compound)	≥ 10 ppm above background in breathing zone (BZ)	Stop work, evacuate work area, upgrade to Level B; Notify CIH.
Oxygen	$\geq 20\%$, $\leq 23\%$ $< 20\%$, $> 23\%$	Normal operations. Stop work, evacuate work area; Notify CIH.
Flammable vapors	$\geq 10\%$ LEL $< 10\%$ LEL	Stop work, evacuate work area. Continue operations, monitor for VOCs; Notify CIH.
Dust	≥ 0.5 mg/m ³ above background in BZ	Normal operations, initiate dust control.

When in Level D Modified/D PPE

Analyte	Action Level	Required Action ^b
VOCs	≥ 1 ppm above background in BZ	Stop activities, suspend work activities for 15 to 30 minutes, if readings are sustained then upgrade to Level C PPE; Notify CIH.
Oxygen	$\geq 20\%$, $\leq 23\%$ $< 20\%$, $> 23\%$	Normal operations. Stop work, evacuate work area.
Flammable vapors	$\geq 10\%$ LEL $< 10\%$ LEL	Stop work, evacuate work area. Continue operations, monitor for VOCs.
Dust	> 0.5 mg/m ³ above background in BZ	Stop work, Initiate dust control, upgrade to Level C PPE if dust control is not effective; Notify CIH.

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When in Support Zone

Analyte	Action Level	Required Action
VOCs	≥ 1 ppm above background in BZ	Evacuate support zone and re-establish perimeter of exclusion zone.
Dust	> 0.5 mg/m ³ above background in BZ	Stop work, Initiate dust control.

^a Four instantaneous peaks in any 15-minute period or a sustained reading for 5 minutes in excess of the action level will trigger a response.

^b Contact with the H&S manager must be made prior to continuance of work. The H&S manager may then initiate perimeter/integrated air sampling along with additional engineering controls.

No one is permitted to downgrade levels of PPE without authorization from the H&S manager.

Table 4-2

**Air Monitoring Frequency and Location
Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q and
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Work Activity	Instrument	Frequency	Location
UXO sweep and staging equipment	OV Monitor Miniram	Initially for area Periodically	Breathing zone (BZ) of employees
Sampling (groundwater, subsurface soil and sediment)	OV Monitor LEL/O ₂ Monitor Miniram	Periodically Periodically Periodically	BZ of employees Support zone BZ of employees
Surveying	OV Monitor LEL/O ₂ Monitor Miniram	Periodically N/A Periodically	BZ of employees N/A BZ of employees
Installing monitoring wells	OV Monitor LEL/O ₂ Monitor Miniram	Continuously Continuously Periodically	BZ of employees Over borehole BZ of employees

OV = Organic vapor.

LEL/O₂ = Lower explosive level/oxygen.

Miniram = Aerosol (dust) monitor.

marked for avoidance during field operations. Additionally, downhole magnetometer surveys will be performed to detect metal objects in the path of sampling equipment or intrusive apparatus. The sampling/boring location will be moved to avoid subsurface metal objects. The practice of UXO avoidance shall be implemented for all intrusive activities associated with well construction and completion.

If UXO is encountered, personnel will contact the site manager and UXO specialist immediately. Personnel will evacuate the immediate area and secure it.

5.0 Activity Hazard Analysis

The attached activity hazard analysis (Table 5-1) is provided for the following activities:

- Initial UXO avoidance sweep and equipment staging
- Installation of monitoring wells
- Subsurface soil, groundwater, surface water, and sediment sampling
- Surveying
- Moving and shipping collected samples
- Disposal of investigative-derived waste (forklift operations)
- High-pressure water jetting operations.

All injuries and illnesses must be immediately reported to the site manager or the site safety and health officer, who will then notify off-site personnel and organizations as necessary.

If hospital care must be provided, the victim shall be treated at Northeast Regional Medical Center. Directions to the hospital are provided in Figure 5-1.

Table 5-1

**Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q and
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Activity	Potential Hazards	Recommended Controls
Initial UXO avoidance sweep and equipment staging	Slip, trip, and fall hazards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Determine best access route before transporting equipment. Practice good housekeeping; keep work area picked up and clean as feasible. Continually inspect the work area for slip, trip, and fall hazards. Look before you step; ensure safe and secure footing.
	Heavy lifting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use proper lifting techniques. Lifts greater than 60 pounds require assistance or mechanical equipment.
	Falling objects	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stay alert and clear of materials suspended overhead; wear hard hat and steel-toed boots.
	Flying debris, dirt, dust, etc.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wear safety glasses/goggles; ensure that eye wash is in proper working condition.
	Pinch points	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Keep hands, fingers, and feet clear of moving/suspended materials and equipment. Beware of contact points. Stay alert at all times!
	Cuts/bruises	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use cotton or leather work gloves for material handling.
	Bees, spiders, and snakes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Inspect work area carefully and avoid placing hands and feet into concealed areas.
	Ticks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wear light colored clothing (can see ticks better). Mow vegetated and small brush areas. Wear insect repellant. Wear long sleeves and long pants. Visually check oneself promptly and frequently after exiting the work area.
	Fire	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fire extinguishers shall be suitably placed, distinctly marked, readily accessible, and maintained in a fully charged and operable condition.
	Hazard communication	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Label all containers as to contents and dispose of properly. Ensure Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) are available for hazardous chemicals used on site.

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Activity	Potential Hazards	Recommended Controls
Initial UXO avoidance sweep and equipment staging (continued)	Noise	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sound levels above 85 decibels (dBA) mandates hearing protection.
	Lighting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adequate lighting will be provided to ensure a safe working environment.
	Cold stress	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Workers should wear insulated clothing when temperatures drop below 40 degrees Fahrenheit (°F). • Drink warm beverages on breaks. Refrain from drinking caffeinated beverages. • Remove wet clothing promptly. • Take breaks in warm areas. • Reduce work periods as necessary. • Layer work clothing.
	Poison ivy/oak/sumac	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Avoid plant areas if possible. • Wear long sleeves and long pants. • Promptly wash clothing that has contacted poisonous plants. • Wash affected areas immediately with soap and water.
	Heat rash	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Keep the skin clean and dry. • Change perspiration-soaked clothing, as necessary. • Bathe at end of work shift or day. • Apply powder to affected area.
	Heat cramps	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drink plenty of cool fluids even when not thirsty. • Provide cool fluid for work crews. • Move victim to shaded, cool area.
	Heat exhaustion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conduct physiological worker monitoring as needed (i.e., heart rate, oral temperature). • Set up work/rest periods. • Use the "buddy system." • Allow workers time to acclimate. • Have ice packs available for use. • Take frequent breaks.

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**Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q and
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Activity	Potential Hazards	Recommended Controls
Initial UXO avoidance sweep and equipment staging (continued)	Heat stroke	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evaluate possibility of night work. • Perform physiological monitoring on workers during breaks. • Wear body cooling devices.
	Contact with moving equipment/vehicles	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work area will be barricaded/demarcated. • Equipment will be laid out in an area free of traffic flow. • Barricades shall be used on or around work areas when it is necessary to prevent the inadvertent intrusion of pedestrian traffic. • Barriers shall be used to protect workers from vehicular traffic. • Barriers shall be used to guard excavations adjacent to streets or roadways. • Flagging shall be used for the short term (less than 24 hours) to identify hazards until proper barricades or barriers are provided. • Heavy equipment shall have backup alarms.
	Forklift operations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use qualified and trained forklift operators. • The operator shall not exceed the load capacity rating for the forklift. • The load capacity shall be clearly visible on the forklift. • Forklift operators shall inform their supervisor of any prescribed medication that they are taking that would impair their judgement.
	Portable electric tools	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Portable electric tools that are unsafe due to faulty plugs, damaged cords, or other reasons, shall be tagged (do not use) and removed from service. • Portable electric tools and all cord and plug connected equipment shall be protected by a ground-fault circuit interrupter (GFCI) device. • Electrical tools shall be inspected daily prior to use.

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**Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q and
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Activity	Potential Hazards	Recommended Controls
Initial UXO avoidance sweep and equipment staging (continued)	Extension cords	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Extension cords that have faulty plugs, damaged insulation, or are unsafe in any way shall be removed from service.• Cords shall be protected from damage from sharp edges, projections, pinch points (doorways), and vehicular traffic.• Cords shall be suspended with a nonconductive support (rope, plastic ties, etc.).• Cords shall be designed for hard duty.• Cords shall be inspected daily.
	Lightning strikes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Whenever possible, halt activities and take cover.• If outdoors, stay low to the ground.• Limit the body surface area that is in contact with the ground (i.e., kneeling on one knee is better than laying on the ground).• Seek shelter in a building if possible.• Stay away from windows.• If available, crouch under a group of trees instead of one.• Keep all body parts in contact with the ground as close as possible.• Remain 6 feet away from tree trunk if seeking shelter beneath tree(s).• If in a group, keep 6 feet of distance between people.
	Thunderstorms, tornados	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Listen to radio or TV announcements for pending weather information.• Cease field activities during thunderstorm or tornado warnings.• Seek shelter. Do not try to outrun a tornado.
Surveying	Slip, trip, and fall hazards	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Site workers will be required to wear hard hat, safety glasses with side shields, work gloves, and steel-toe boots when working in the field.• Provide adequate lighting in all work areas.• Whenever possible, avoid routing cords and hoses across walking pathways.• Flag or cover inconspicuous holes to protect against falls.• Work areas will be kept clean and orderly.• Garbage and trash will be disposed of daily in approved refuse containers.• Tools and accessories will be properly maintained and stored.• Work areas and floors will be kept free of dirt, grease, and slippery materials.

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**Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q and
Impact Area, Parcel 118Q-X
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Activity	Potential Hazards	Recommended Controls
Surveying (continued)	Traffic accidents	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Place physical barrier (i.e., barricades, fencing) around work areas regularly occupied by pedestrians. If working adjacent to roadways, have workers wear fluorescent orange vests. Use warning signs or lights to alert oncoming traffic. Assign flag person(s) if necessary to direct local traffic. Set up temporary parking locations outside the immediate work area. Motor vehicle operators shall obey all posted traffic signs, signals, and speed limits. Pedestrians have the right-of-way. Wear seat belts when vehicles are in motion.
	Wildlife hazards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Workers should be cautious when driving through the site in order to avoid encounters with passing animals.
	Biological hazards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Walking through overgrown grass areas, watch for snakes (rattlesnakes, moccasins, copperheads).
	Ticks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wear light colored clothing (can see ticks better). Mow vegetated and small brush areas. Wear insect repellent. Wear long sleeves and long pants. Visually check oneself promptly and frequently after exiting the work area.
	Poison ivy/oak/sumac	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Avoid plant areas if possible. Wear long sleeves and long pants. Promptly wash clothing that has contacted poisonous plants. Wash affected areas immediately with soap and water.
	UXO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> UXO avoidance monitoring will be conducted by a UXO specialist prior to beginning activities. If UXO is encountered, cease all activities, mark the location, and notify the site manager.

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Activity	Potential Hazards	Recommended Controls
Groundwater Sampling	Cross-contamination and contact with potentially contaminated materials	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sampling technicians will wear proper protective clothing and equipment to safeguard against potential contamination.• Avoid skin contact with water.• Handle samples with care.• Only essential personnel will be in the work area.• Real-time air monitoring will take place before and during sampling activities.• All personnel will follow good hygiene practices.• Proper decontamination procedures will be followed.• All liquids and materials used for decontamination will be contained and disposed of in accordance with federal, state, and local regulations.
	Cut hazards	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Use care when handling glassware.• Wear adequate hand protection.
	Hazard communication	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• MSDSs shall be obtained for chemicals brought on site.• Label all containers as to contents.
	Strains/sprains	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Use the proper tool for the job being performed.• Get assistance if needed.• Avoid twisting/turning while pulling on tools, moving equipment, etc.
	Spills/residual materials	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Absorbent material and containers will be kept available where leaks or spills may occur.
	Lighting	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Adequate lighting will be provided to ensure a safe working environment.
	Unattended worker	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Use "buddy system" - visual contact will be maintained with the sampling technician during sampling activities.

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Activity	Potential Hazards	Recommended Controls
Soil Boring and Surface/Subsurface Sampling	Cross-contamination and contact with potentially contaminated materials	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stop immediately at any sign of obstruction. • Sampling technicians will wear proper protective clothing and equipment to safeguard against potential contamination. • Only essential personnel will be in the work area. • Real-time air monitoring will take place before and during sampling activities. • All personnel will follow good hygiene practices. • Proper decontamination procedures will be followed. • All liquids and materials used for decontamination will be contained and disposed of in accordance with federal, state, and local regulations.
	Cut hazards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use care when handling glassware. • Wear adequate hand protection.
	Slip, trip, and fall hazards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Site workers will be required to wear hard hat, safety glasses with side shields, work gloves, and steel-toe/shank boots when working in the field. • Whenever possible, avoid routing cords and hoses across walking pathways. • Flag or cover inconspicuous holes to protect against falls.
	Bees, spiders, and snakes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Workers shall inspect the work area carefully and avoid placing hands and feet into concealed areas. • Evaluate need for sensitive workers to have prescribed antibiotic or medicine to combat onset of symptoms.
	Poison ivy/oak/sumac	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Avoid plant areas if possible. • Wear long sleeves and long pants. • Promptly wash clothing that has contacted poisonous plants. • Wash affected areas immediately with soap and water.
	Cold stress	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Workers should wear insulated clothing when temperatures drop below 40°F. • Drink warm beverages on breaks. Refrain from drinking caffeinated beverages. • Remove wet clothing promptly. • Take breaks in warm areas. • Reduce work periods as necessary. • Layer work clothing.

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Activity	Potential Hazards	Recommended Controls
Soil Boring and Surface/Subsurface Sampling (continued)	Access/egress hazards	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Use qualified and trained bushhog operator.• Keep employees out of the bushhog work area.• Utilize good housekeeping practices.• Keep aisleways, pathways, and work areas free of obstruction.• Clean ice or snow off of walkways or work stations.• Use appropriate footwear for the task assigned.
	Heat rash	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Keep the skin clean and dry.• Change perspiration-soaked clothing, as necessary.• Bathe at end of work shift or day.• Apply powder to affected area.
	Heat cramps	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Drink plenty of cool fluids even when not thirsty.• Provide cool fluid for work crews.• Move victim to shaded, cool area.
	Heat exhaustion	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Conduct physiological worker monitoring as needed (i.e., heart rate, oral temperature).• Set up work/rest periods.• Use the buddy system.• Allow workers time to acclimate.• Have ice packs available for use.• Take frequent breaks.
	Heat stroke	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Evaluate possibility of night work.• Perform physiological monitoring on workers during breaks.• Wear body cooling devices.

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**Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q and
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Activity	Potential Hazards	Recommended Controls
Soil Boring and Surface/Subsurface Sampling (continued)	Lightning strikes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Whenever possible, halt activities and take cover. • If outdoors, stay low to the ground. • Limit the body surface area that is in contact with the ground (i.e., kneeling on one knee is better than laying on the ground). • Seek shelter in a building if possible. • Stay away from windows. • If available, crouch under a group of trees instead of one single tree. • Keep all body parts in contact with the ground as close as possible. • If in a group, keep 6 feet of distance between people.
	UXO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • UXO avoidance monitoring will be conducted by a UXO specialist prior to beginning activities. • If UXO is encountered, cease all activities, mark the location, and notify the site manager and UXO specialist.
	Accidental exposure to chemical agents	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Low-level real-time environmental monitoring will be performed by Quanterra Battelle Quicksilver Center. • Modified Level D personal protective equipment (PPE) will be required. During the first 15 feet depth of each monitoring well installation activity, downhole geophysics will be performed. • Engineering controls will be used as appropriate. • Personnel will be equipped with an emergency egress air supply pack.
Moving and Shipping Collected Samples	Heavy lifting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use proper lifting techniques. Lifts greater than 60 pounds require assistance or mechanical equipment; size up the lift.
	Pinch points	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Keep hands, fingers, and feet clear of moving/suspended materials and equipment. • Beware of contact points. • Stay alert at all times!
	Cut hazards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wear adequate hand protection. Use care when handling glassware.
	Hazard communication	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Label all containers as to contents and associated hazards.
	Heavy lifting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use proper lifting techniques. Lifts greater than 60 pounds require assistance or mechanical equipment; size up the lift.

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**Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q and
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Activity	Potential Hazards	Recommended Controls
Material Storage	Flammable and combustible liquids	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Store in NO SMOKING AREA. • Fire extinguisher readily available. • Transfer only when properly grounded and bonded.
Disposal of Investigation-Derived Waste (IDW) (Forklift Operation)	Personnel injury, property damage, and/or equipment damage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use qualified and trained forklift operators. • The operator shall not exceed the load capacity rating for the forklift. • The load capacity shall be clearly visible on the forklift. • Forklift operators shall inform their supervisor of any prescribed medication that they are taking that would impair their judgement.
	Cross-contamination and contact with potentially contaminated materials	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stop immediately at any sign of obstruction. • Sampling technicians will wear proper protective clothing and equipment to safeguard against potential contamination. • Only essential personnel will be in the work area. • Real-time air monitoring will take place before and during sampling activities. • All personnel will follow good hygiene practices. • Proper decontamination procedures will be followed. • All liquids and materials used for decontamination will be contained and disposed of in accordance with federal, state, and local regulations.
	Cut hazards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use care when handling glassware. • Wear adequate hand protection.
High-Pressure Water Jetting Operations	Heavy lifting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use proper lifting techniques. • Lifts greater than 60 pounds require assistance or mechanical equipment; size up the lift.
	Slip, trip, and fall hazards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Good housekeeping shall be implemented. • The work area shall be kept clean as feasible. • Inspect the work area for slip, trip, and fall hazards.

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Activity	Potential Hazards	Recommended Controls
High-Pressure Water Jetting Operations (continued)	Fueling	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Only approved safety cans shall be used to store fuel. Do not refuel equipment while it is operating. Fire extinguishers shall be suitably placed, distinctly marked, readily accessible, and maintained in a fully charged and operable condition.
	Faulty or damaged equipment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Equipment shall be inspected before being placed into service and at the beginning of each shift. Preventive maintenance procedures recommended by the manufacturer shall be followed. A lockout/tagout procedure shall be used for equipment found to be faulty or undergoing maintenance.
	High-pressure water	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jetting gun operator must wear appropriate PPE including hard hat, impact-resistant safety glasses with side shields, water-resistant clothing, metatarsal guards for feet and legs, and hearing protection (if appropriate). One standby person shall be available within the vicinity of the pump during jetting operation. The work area shall be isolated and adequate barriers will be used to warn other site personnel.
	Unqualified operators	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Only qualified and trained personnel are permitted to operate machinery and mechanized equipment associated with water jet cutting and cleaning.
	Out of control equipment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No machinery or equipment is permitted to run unattended. Machinery or equipment will not be operated in a manner that will endanger persons or property nor will the safe operating speeds or loads be exceeded.
	Noise	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sound levels above 85 dBA mandates hearing protection by nearby site personnel.
	Activation during repairs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All machinery or equipment will be shut down and positive means taken to prevent its operation while repairs or manual lubrications are being done.
	Pinch points	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Keep feet and hands clear of moving/suspended materials and equipment. Stay alert and clear of materials suspended .
	Falling objects	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hard hats are required by site personnel. Stay alert and clear of material suspended overhead.
	Flying debris	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Impact-resistant safety glasses with side shields are required.

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Activity	Potential Hazards	Recommended Controls
High-Pressure Water Jetting Operations (continued)	Contact with potentially contaminated materials	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All site personnel will wear the appropriate PPE.
Drilling and Installation of Monitoring Wells	Overhead hazards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Make sure no obstacles are within radius of boom. Always stay a safe distance from power lines.
	Faulty or damaged equipment being utilized to perform work	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All machinery or mechanized equipment will be inspected by a competent mechanic and be certified to be in safe operating condition. Equipment will be inspected before being put to use and at the beginning of each shift. Faulty/unsafe equipment will be tagged and if possible locked out. Drill rigs shall be equipped with reverse signal alarm, backup warning lights, or the vehicle is backed up only when an observer signals it is safe to do so.
	Uneven terrain, poor ground support, inadequate clearances, contact with utilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Inspections or determinations of road conditions and structures shall be made in advance to ensure that clearances and load capacities are safe for the passage or placing of any machinery or equipment. All mobile equipment and areas in which they are operated shall be adequately illuminated. Aboveground and belowground utilities will be located prior to staging equipment. Whenever the equipment is parked, the parking brake shall be set. Equipment parked on inclines will have the wheels chocked. Inspect brakes and tire pressure on drill rig before staging for work.
	Inexperienced operator	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Machinery and mechanized equipment shall be operated only by designated personnel. Operators shall inform their supervisor(s) of any prescribed medication that they are taking that would impair their judgment.
	Jacks/outriggers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ensure proper footing and cribbing.
	Falling objects	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Remove unsecured tools and materials before raising or lowering the derrick. Stay alert and clear of materials suspended overhead.
	Pinch points	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Keep feet and hands clear of moving/suspended materials and equipment. Stay alert at all times!

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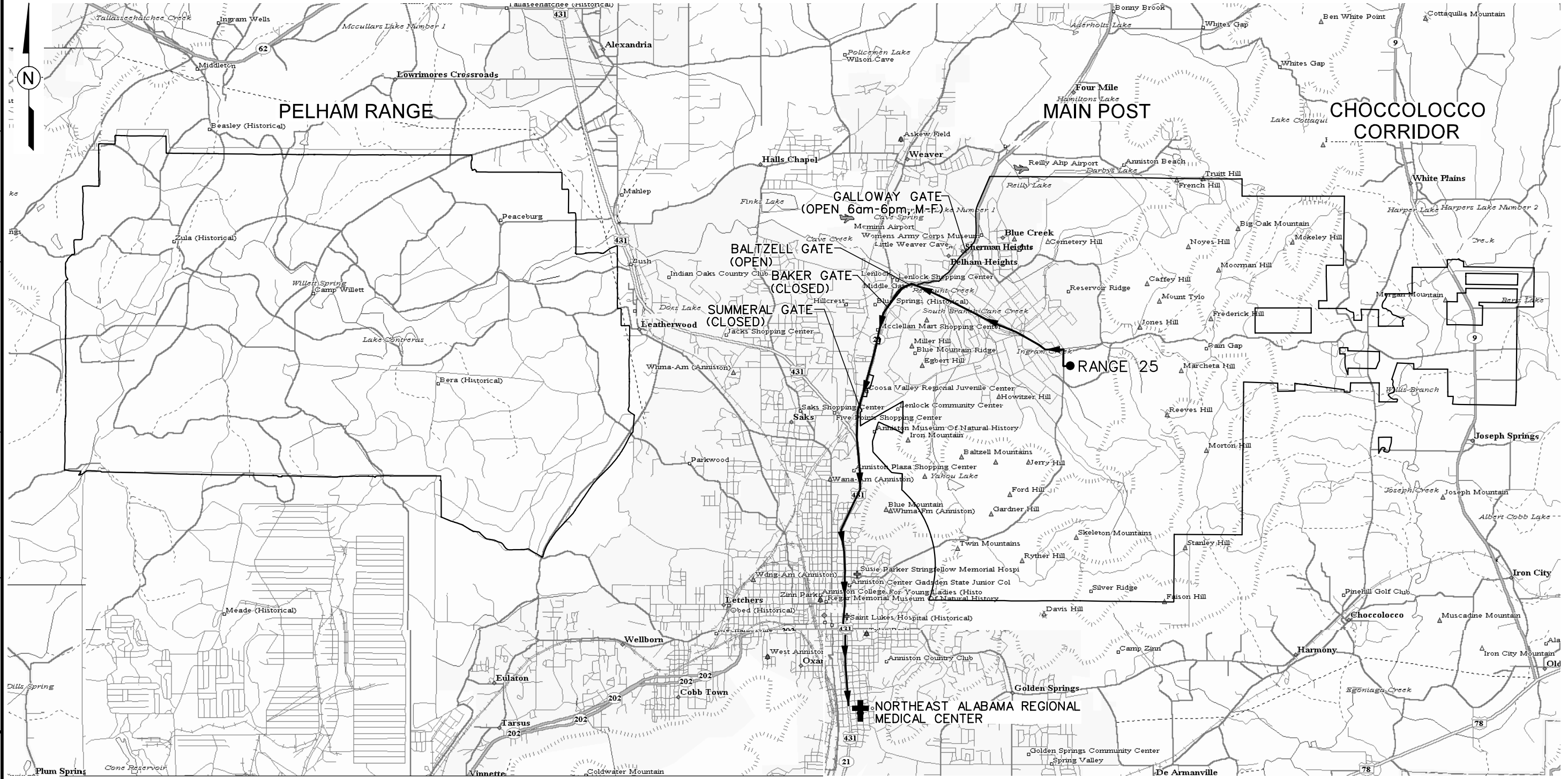
Activity	Potential Hazards	Recommended Controls
Drilling and Installation of Monitoring Wells (continued)	Fire	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mechanized equipment shall be shut down prior to and during fueling operations. Have fire extinguishers inspected and readily available.
	Fall hazards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Personnel are not allowed to work off of machinery or use them as ladders. Use fall protection when working above 6 feet.
	Contact with rotating or reciprocating machine parts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use machine guards; use long-handled shovels to remove auger cuttings. Safe lockout procedures for maintenance work.
	Heavy lifting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use proper lifting techniques. Lifts greater than 60 pounds require assistance or mechanical equipment; size up the lift.
	Slip, trip, and fall hazards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Practice good housekeeping, keep work area picked up and clean as feasible. Continually inspect the work area for slip, trip, and fall hazards.
	Contact with potentially contaminated materials	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Real-time air monitoring will take place. If necessary, proper personal protective clothing and equipment will be utilized. Stop immediately at any sign of obstruction. Do not breathe air surrounding the boring unless necessary. Upgrade to respirator if necessary. Avoid skin contact with soil cuttings. Wear gloves. Stay clear of moving parts of drill rig.
	Drum handling	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Be careful not to breathe air from around open drum any more than necessary. Monitor with photoionization detector/flame ionization detector (PID/FID) equipment and upgrade to respirator if necessary. When filling a drum (with either soil or water), be careful not to make contact with the contained waste. Wear appropriate gloves. Make sure lid or bung of drum is secure. If moving a drum unassisted, be sure to leverage properly, use proper lifting techniques, and wear safety glasses and steel-toed boots. When using a drum dolly, make sure straps and lid catch are securely attached. Leverage properly when tilting drum. Be sure toes stay away from drum.

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Activity	Potential Hazards	Recommended Controls
Drilling and Installation of Monitoring Wells (continued)	UXO	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• UXO avoidance monitoring will be conducted by a UXO specialist prior to beginning activities.• UXO avoidance monitoring shall apply to all intrusive activities associated with well construction completion.• If UXO is encountered, cease all activities, mark the location, and notify the site manager and UXO specialist immediately.



DRIVING DIRECTIONS FROM BALTZELL GATE ROAD TO THE NORTHEAST ALABAMA MEDICAL CENTER

- LEAVING FORT MCCLELLAN ON BALTZELL GATE ROAD, TURN LEFT (SOUTH) ONTO AL HWY 21
- GO ~ 2.5 MILES WHERE AL HWY 21 MERGES WITH U.S. HWY 431 AND CONTINUE SOUTH
- CONTINUE SOUTH ON AL21/US431 FOR ~ 2.7 MILES
- TURN LEFT ONTO EAST 10th STREET
- GO ~ 0.2 MILE TO MEDICAL CENTER ON RIGHT
- NORTHEAST ALABAMA REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER, 400 EAST 10th STREET
- PHONE NUMBER : (256) 235-5121

FIGURE 5-1
HOSPITAL EMERGENCY ROUTE

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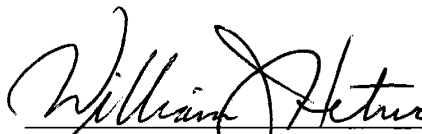
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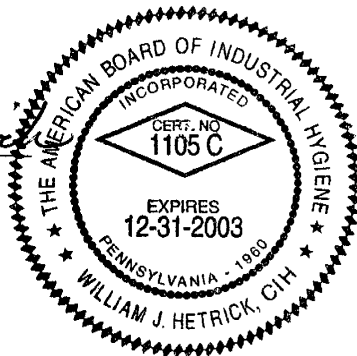
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List of Acronyms

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1.0 Introduction

This document defines anomaly avoidance procedures for activities to be performed by IT Corporation (IT) unexploded ordnance (UXO) personnel in conjunction with the site investigation at Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q, and Impact Area, Parcel 118Q-X, at Fort McClellan (FTMC), Calhoun County, Alabama. This document is not a stand-alone document; it must be used in conjunction with the *Fort McClellan Unexploded Ordnance Supplementary Procedures* (IT, 2001), attached as Attachment 1.

IT UXO personnel will perform visual surveys, assisted by hand-held magnetometers and metal detectors, to support the collection of surface soil, subsurface soil, groundwater, surface water, and sediment samples for chemical analysis at Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q, and Impact Area, Parcel 118Q-X. The purpose is to avoid any ordnance and explosives (OE) during hazardous, toxic, and radioactive waste (HTRW) sampling activities. Intrusive anomaly investigation is not authorized for this site work.

Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q, is located on Central Main. It is one of the oldest ranges at FTMC; its first documented use was in 1937. Interviews with FTMC personnel indicate that Range 25 was originally constructed as a 600-yard known distance range for training with the M-1903 Springfield rifle (.30 caliber) and M-1 Garand rifle (.30 caliber). Weapons fired at this range includes various small arms, e.g., M-14 (7.62 millimeter [mm]), M-16 (5.56mm), M-1 (.30 caliber), and M-60 (7.62mm) with tracer ammunition. Personnel interviews indicate that this range was also used as a machine gun range. Records maintained at FTMC Range Control indicate that the range was used for M-14 training (Environmental Sciences and Engineering [ESE], 1998). All records previous to this period are unavailable. Day-and-night-phase firing was practiced here (ESE, 1998).

During previous site walks, numerous mortar rounds were observed by ESE personnel on the ground surface in an impact area behind (north) of the Range 25 berm (Parcel 118Q-X). Ordnance items observed include mortar and artillery rounds. These items are sometimes encountered after heavy rains. Numerous 3-inch mortar rounds were also observed behind the backstop at this range during the site visit by ESE personnel preparing the environmental baseline survey (ESE, 1998). Personnel of the local Army Explosive Ordnance Disposal (EOD) unit accompanied ESE personnel to this site and report that these 3-inch mortar rounds appeared

to be sand-filled or otherwise inert. Practice rounds were sometimes filled with sand (ESE, 1998) (ESE, 1998) Environmental Science and Engineering, Inc. (ESE

2.0 UXO Team Composition

UXO team and personnel requirements will be in accordance with EP 75-1-2 (U.S. Army Corps of Engineering [USACE], 2000) and the installation-wide sampling and analysis plan (SAP) (IT, 2000) for FTMC. A UXO team will be on site during all sampling or intrusive activities where OE is suspected.

3.0 Responsibilities

The UXO Team Leader is responsible for ensuring that personnel performing UXO tasks at FTMC have the required qualifications. The UXO Team Leader supervises and coordinates UXO work activities.

The UXO team member(s) will provide UXO avoidance, explosive ordnance recognition, location, and safety functions for IT employees and any subcontractors during sampling activities. Sampling activities at this site include surface and subsurface soil sampling, drilling and installing monitoring wells, sampling of monitoring wells, survey of sample points, and safe access and egress to and from the site in support of HTRW operations.

4.0 Authority

UXO personnel are authorized to perform UXO avoidance activities only. UXO personnel are not permitted to initiate OE investigative or disposal activities.

5.0 UXO Avoidance Procedures to Support HTRW Sampling Activities at FTMC

The scope of work for site investigation activities at Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q, and Impact Area, Parcel 118Q-X, includes the following UXO tasks:

- Provide UXO avoidance support during the collection of 53 surface soil samples, 53 subsurface soil samples, 6 groundwater samples, 10 surface water samples, and 10 sediment samples. Sample locations are defined in Section 4.0 of the site-specific field sampling plan contained in this binder.
- Provide downhole UXO support for all intrusive drilling to determine buried downhole hazards.
- Provide surveys for all intrusive field activities (e.g., digging, fence post driving, grading, or excavation).

Since these areas may contain OE contamination, the UXO team must conduct a surface access survey for UXO before any type of activities commence. This includes foot and vehicular traffic. UXO avoidance activities at Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q, and Impact Area, Parcel 118Q-X, will include:

a) Access Corridors and Sampling Sites

- (1) The UXO team will conduct access surveys of the footpaths and vehicular lanes approaching and leaving each of the investigation sites. Access surveys will begin in a known clear area and proceed by the most direct route to the sampling site. The boundaries of the access route and sampling site will be marked with white tape or white pin flags.
- (2) If an OE item is found during the survey, the location will be conspicuously marked with a red pin flag and avoided by altering the route. Additionally, UXO personnel will complete the IT FTMC “Unexploded Ordnance Report Form.” Subsurface anomalies will be marked with a yellow flag.
- (3) The boundaries of the access route and sampling site will be recorded in the IT FTMC “UXO Sketch Log” by the UXO technician. Additionally, anomaly locations will be recorded on this form.
- (4) Instrumentation used at this site will include the Schonstedt GA 72, the CST Corporation Magna-Trak 102, or the Whites Spectrum XLT Metal Detector. Additionally, the Schonstedt MG-220 or MG-230 will be set up for downhole monitoring. All equipment will be operated as specified in the appropriate operator’s manual. All equipment will be function-tested prior to use following the procedure in paragraph 3.2, *FTMC UXO Supplementary Procedures* (IT, 2001) and the operator’s instructions. The Whites Metal Detector will be used in conjunction with hand-held

magnetometers in areas of high concentrations of rocks with a magnetic signature to assist in eliminating anomalies created by “hot rocks.”

- (5) The access route will be twice as wide as the widest vehicle that will use the route. Footpath lanes will be a minimum of three feet wide.
- (6) If surface OE or subsurface anomalies are encountered that cannot be avoided, the access route must be diverted to avoid contact. No personnel will be allowed outside of the surveyed areas without a UXO escort. No unescorted access is permitted inside the corridor area until a survey has been completed and boundaries established.
- (7) At the actual investigation site, the UXO team must also complete a survey of an area sufficient to support mechanical excavation equipment maneuverability, parking of support vehicles, and establishment of decontamination stations. At a minimum, the surveyed area should have a dimension in all directions equal to twice the length of the largest vehicle or piece of equipment to be brought on site. White pin flags or tape will be used to mark the boundaries of the surveyed site.
- (8) Surface soil samples are normally collected at depths of 0 to 12 inches below ground surface. The UXO team will survey the area of the soil sampling site for any indication of OE. Sampling is not permitted at any location where an anomaly has been detected.
- (9) Tracked or other vehicles whose movement would disturb the soil are authorized for use only in areas that have been surveyed and in which no anomalies have been detected.
- (10) If grading or soil movement is required to support access corridor development or a sampling location, UXO personnel will perform a survey. After an area has been surveyed and no anomalies have been detected, soil can be removed at a rate of no more than one foot per cut. If additional grading is required, another survey will be performed after each one foot of soil has been removed.
- (11) Erosion and weathering will typically cause some OE items to leach to the surface or otherwise be uncovered. In cases where access corridors or sampling sites have not been surveyed or traversed for a period of time, additional surveys may be required. The decision regarding the performance of follow-on surveys will be made by the site superintendent with input provided by the FTMC UXO Safety Officer and FTMC UXO Team Leader. The decision will be based on such factors as: the amount of time since the last survey was performed, the weather during this

period, the terrain in the area of concern, the former use of the area, and the type and quantity of OE found during initial surveys.

- (12) Incremental geophysical surveys at drill hole locations will be initially accomplished using a hand auger to install a pilot hole. An access survey of the immediate vicinity of the pilot hole location will precede the installation of the pilot hole. The UXO team will use a manual or mechanical portable auger to install the pilot hole. The augured hole will be inspected for anomalies with a geophysical instrument (configured for downhole utilization) in two-foot increments as the hole is advanced below ground surface. Hand augering of a hole will not proceed if an anomaly is detected that cannot be positively identified as inert material. If a suspect OE item is encountered, the sampling personnel must select a new drill hole location. The pilot hole will also be inspected with the geophysical instrument upon reaching the final depth of the hand-augered hole, providing a total clearance depth equal to pilot hole depth plus two feet. If the proposed site is still free of magnetic anomalies, the drilling equipment may be brought on site and utilized. The UXO team will continue to inspect the drill hole for anomalies at two-foot increments as the drilling is advanced from the clearance depth of the pilot hole until a depth of 12 feet is reached.

b) Vegetation Removal

In cases where large trees or other vegetation removal is required to support access or sampling operations, the procedures in paragraph 4.2, *FTMC UXO Supplementary Procedures* (IT, 2001) will be followed.

c) Magnetometer/Metal Detector Checkout and Field Procedures

The procedures in paragraph 3.0, *FTMC UXO Supplementary Procedures* (IT, 2001) will be followed. Since artillery and mortar ordnance has been reported on Range 25, Known Distance Range, Parcel 83Q, and Impact Area, Parcel 118Q-X, the function test will utilize the function test ordnance that most closely approximates the 75-mm projectile and the 3-inch mortar.

d) UXO Logbooks and Documentation

All UXO personnel identified in paragraph 5.0, *FTMC UXO Supplementary Procedures* (IT, 2001) will maintain a logbook in accordance with that procedure.

6.0 Safety

In addition to the requirements of the site-specific safety and health plan prepared for this site, the UXO personnel will ensure the following:

- a) During the access and subsurface surveys conducted with a geophysical instrument, the UXO team members will not wear safety shoes or other footwear that would cause the instrument to present a false response.
- b) The UXO team will not be required to wear protective helmets unless an overhead hazard is present.
- c) The FTMC UXO Safety Officer will monitor UXO activities to ensure compliance with applicable safety requirements.
- d) The FTMC UXO Safety Officer will certify that all FTMC UXO workers are capable of performing UXO activities at FTMC, based on observation of work performance.
- e) The FTMC UXO Safety Officer is responsible for all site-specific UXO training.
- f) The UXO technician on site will advise project personnel regarding all evacuation and/or exclusion zones as appropriate. The UXO technician will monitor all sampling site activities to ensure that only the minimum number of personnel are present on site.

7.0 Quality

The IT FTMC UXO Quality Control Officer will follow quality control instructions and procedures listed in Section 9.0 of the installation-wide OE management plan contained in Volume IV of the SAP (IT, 2000) appropriate to this task and the FTMC UXO Supplementary Procedures. The IT FTMC UXO Quality Control Officer will also utilize the “UXO Avoidance Quality Control Report” to document his activities. Copies of this form will be provided to the IT quality assurance representative upon request.

8.0 References

Environmental Science and Engineering, Inc. (ESE), 1998, ***Final Environmental Baseline Survey, Fort McClellan, Alabama***, prepared for U.S. Army Environmental Center, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland, January.

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ATTACHMENT 1

FORT MCCLELLAN UNEXPLODED ORDNANCE SUPPLEMENTARY PROCEDURES

FTMC UXO SUPPLEMENTARY PROCEDURES

Subject: Ordnance and Explosives

1.0 INTRODUCTION

IT Corporation (IT) has been retained by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers-Mobile District, under Contract Number DACA21-96-D-0018, to provide environmental services related to Base realignment and closure (BRAC) of Fort McClellan, Alabama. The Installation-Wide Ordnance and Explosives (OE) Management Plan for Fort McClellan (FTMC) was prepared by IT Corporation and submitted as a final document in March 2000. The Installation-Wide OE Management Plan was prepared to provide general guidance for conducting unexploded ordnance (UXO) work associated with hazardous, toxic, and radiological waste (HTRW) investigations and remedial activities currently in progress at FTMC. IT Corporation prepares site-specific field sampling, health and safety, and UXO safety plans for sites where fieldwork will occur that may potentially contain OE. A UXO Safety Plan is not prepared for sites that are not reported to be in areas containing OE.

1.1 Purpose

This document is intended to provide procedures to the field staff that outline UXO operations and clarify activities currently permitted under "anomaly avoidance." The document is not intended to replace any of the project documents currently approved; rather, it is intended to complement those documents with additional information that allows successful completion of the job.

2.0 FTMC EMPLOYEE ORIENTATION/TRAINING AND CERTIFICATION

The IT FTMC orientation program is designed to:

- Indoctrinate new employees to FTMC-unique procedures
- Verify compliance with regulatory certification requirements
- Provide continuing instruction and updating in UXO fundamentals to sustain readiness to safely perform UXO tasks

2.1 Responsibilities

The IT OE Service Center Operations Manager will oversee the training programs and maintain a master record of UXO employee training and certification status.

The UXO person designated as the senior IT UXO individual at FTMC will schedule the orientation listed below.

The FTMC UXO Safety Officer will:

- Conduct all UXO-specific orientation and training at FTMC
- Certify that each new UXO employee is capable of performing UXO work activities at FTMC
- Maintain FTMC training files and records on each UXO technician on site reflecting his or her current training status.

2.2 UXO Employee Orientation

Every UXO employee assigned to FTMC will receive a site-specific UXO orientation in addition to training required by the Occupational Health and Safety Administration (OSHA). This orientation will include, as a minimum, the following topics:

- Local emergency response drills and procedures
- Personal protective equipment (PPE) and personnel decontamination procedures
- Ordnance recognition/UXO expected to be encountered at FTMC
- Equipment safety
- FTMC site orientation
- Chemical warfare material (CWM) awareness and procedures
- Communications procedures
- FTMC Logbook/data recording procedures
- IT administrative policies and procedures
- Magnetometer checkout procedures.

Upon completion of the UXO employee orientation, the FTMC UXO Safety Officer will monitor the performance of the new hire for at least three workdays while conducting typical UXO activities. The FTMC UXO Safety Officer will

then certify that the individual is capable of performing UXO activities at FTMC based upon satisfactory performance of the three-day period. A copy of this certification will be maintained in the individual's site FTMC training file (see example at Attachment 1).

2.3 UXO Sustainment Training

All UXO technicians have had the OSHA 40-hour hazardous waste operations and emergency response (HAZWOPER) course in order to be initially certified at FTMC. They are also required to maintain the certification with an 8-hour OSHA refresher course on an annual basis. Additionally, all IT FTMC UXO personnel will have 8 hours of site-specific annual UXO sustainment training. This training can be performed incrementally (2 hours every quarter) at the discretion of the site superintendent in coordination with the FTMC IT UXO Safety Officer. Topics will include, but are not limited to, the following subjects:

- Site-specific environmental hazards
- Site-specific UXO hazards, ordnance fuzing, functioning and precautions
- Topics which the IT UXO Team Leader or IT Safety UXO Officer determines necessary to support FTMC UXO activities

Sustainment training will be conducted for a period of no less than 8 hours. Daily safety briefings, tailgate safety meetings, and other required site-specific training are not a substitute for this training. The purpose of this training is to provide each UXO employee with site-specific UXO training over and above OSHA requirements. The site-specific UXO training will be recorded in the project file and the UXO employee's personnel file.

3.0 FTMC MAGNETOMETER/METAL DETECTOR FUNCTION TEST AND FIELD PROCEDURES

This section provides FTMC magnetometer/metal detector function tests and operating procedures to be employed at all work sites that have been identified as requiring avoidance support.

3.1 Geophysical Test Plot

The purpose of a test plot is to provide a consistent environment where the equipment can be evaluated. The location of the geophysical test plot will be inside the IT compound. It will be established as follows

- The test plot will consist of an area approximately 20 x 20 feet and clear of vegetation and magnetic anomalies, located in the IT compound next to the southeast end of the office trailers.
- Five metal test objects will be buried at depths varying from 6 inches to 24 inches. The objects will approximate the weight, diameter, and length of an MK 2 grenade, a 60mm mortar, a 2.36-inch rocket warhead, a 75mm projectile, and a 37mm projectile. Additionally, three non-ferrous test objects will be buried at a depth of 2 inches to 8 inches. A 6-inch length of 1/2-inch reinforcing rod will be placed on the surface for use as a surface check source. Items with greater mass will be buried at greater depths. Each burial location will be marked with a wooden stake located about 6 inches to the north of the object. Each stake will be assigned a reference number and will be tagged or marked to denote the depth, type of item and orientation of the item. The site will utilize native soils; no fill material will be brought in from another area. Sand will be used to cover the area to mitigate the effects of wet weather.
- For downhole magnetometer testing, a length of 2-inch PVC pipe will be buried to a depth of 36 inches. The pipe should be of sufficient length to allow at least another 24 inches to extend above the surface of the ground. A metal object will be buried at a depth of 24 inches and 24 inches from the side of the pipe. The location of the item, similar in size and mass to a 75mm projectile, will be marked with a wooden stake tagged to denote the depth, type of item, orientation, and reference number assigned.

3.2 Magnetometer/Metal Detector Check-Out Procedures

- Prior to field use, all magnetometers and metal detectors will be set up following the guidelines in the manufacturer's operating manual for the specific instrument used. Instrumentation used at this site will include the Schonstedt GA 72, the CST Corporation Magna-Trak 102, or White's Spectrum XLT Metal Detector. Additionally, the Schonstedt MG-220 or

MG-230 will be set up for downhole monitoring. All equipment will be operated in a manner consistent with instructions contained in the appropriate operator's manual. All equipment will be function-tested prior to use. The White's Metal Detector will be used in conjunction with hand-held magnetometers in areas of high concentrations of rocks with a magnetic signature, to assist in eliminating anomalies created by "hot rocks." The operating manual for each of the instruments used at FTMC will be available for use with the equipment.

- Once the instrument has been determined to be working according to the manufacturer's operating manual, the operator will perform a function test on the FTMC geophysical test plot using the detection methods described in the manual. A function test will consist of using the instrument over a minimum of three test sources. The same sources will be used during each function test to ensure consistency. The instrument detection indicator, as described in the operator's manual, will be noted in the instrument logbook. For site checks, a 6-inch length of 1/2-inch steel reinforcing rod will be available to each operator at the work site.
- Instruments that fail to reproduce a detection indication consistent with previous tests will be checked to ensure that the power supply or batteries are sufficient. If the power supply is determined to be sufficient and the operator cannot find a fault in accordance with the operator's manual, the instrument will be tagged and removed from service.
- Function tests will be performed each morning before the equipment is put into service.
- If an instrument is determined to be working improperly, the FTMC UXO Team Leader and the site superintendent will be immediately notified. Any activities performed using that instrument since its last positive test procedure will be considered invalid and will require reevaluation.
- Upon completion of the function test, the "Magnetometer/Metal Detector Functions Test Data Sheet" (Attachment 2) and the equipment logbook will be filled out.

- After an instrument has been function-tested at the beginning of each day, the instrument will be checked at least once during every hour of use or each time the instrument is turned on after having been turned off. This check will consist of dropping the 6-inch length of 1/2-inch reinforcing rod in a clear area and passing the detector over the rod in a manner consistent with the operator's instructions. The instrument indication will be compared to the indication produced during the morning function test. Instruments that fail to produce a consistent indication will be checked and removed from service as required.

3.3 Equipment Documentation

Each piece of equipment will be assigned a logbook noting the make, model, manufacturer, and serial number of the equipment. The logbook and manufacturer's operating manual will be present when the equipment is tested. The following information will be recorded:

- Date and time
- The test plot object used (assigned stake number)
- The reading or indication at each test site
- Whether or not the reading or indication was satisfactory
- The name of the individual performing the test.

The IT FTMC Quality Control (QC) Officer will observe the daily testing of all equipment and will record the results of each test in his field logbook.

3.4 Magnetometer/Metal Detector Field Procedures

All intrusive field activities in potential OE areas (e.g., digging, fence post driving, grading, well installation or excavation) will be preceded by a UXO sweep. Each hole made in areas where OE may potentially be found will have a check immediately over the spot of the intrusion. Magnetometer operations at FTMC will assume a detection depth of one foot when surveying an area for excavation.

All magnetometers and metal detectors will be operated in accordance with the manufacturers specifications and procedures.

When surveying a potential area for a sampling well, an area of sufficient size will be surveyed to allow for installation of required pads and bollards. After the well

is installed, the location of bollards will be adjusted as required if an anomaly is detected during the bollard installation process.

The White's Metal Detector will be used to augment the magnetometers on sites where "hot rocks" are suspected. The purpose of using the metal detector in addition to the magnetometers is to eliminate the probability of "hot rocks."

4.0 FTMC ACCESS CLEARANCES, VEGETATION REMOVAL, AND ROAD MAINTENANCE

This section is designed to provide specific procedures regarding activities associated with the building of access corridors, vegetation removal, and road maintenance in support of FTMC operations.

4.1 Access Corridors

The purpose of access corridors is to enable IT personnel access to well and/or other types of sampling sites within FTMC. Access corridors will be created by marking the route, both length and width, in which a UXO survey has been performed. The marking method will be defined in each site-specific UXO safety plan. No unescorted access is permitted until a corridor has been established. If an anomaly is detected during the survey or during a subsequent excavation, it must be avoided, since investigation is not authorized. The route will be altered to avoid the anomaly for FTMC activities. A magnetometer is considered to reliably detect anomalies to a depth of one foot.

The size of each area to be surveyed is dependent on the type and quantity of equipment expected to be used on that site. The UXO survey crew will follow the procedures outlined in the site-specific UXO safety plan to determine the dimensions of the area to be surveyed. Normally, the width of the access route will be at least twice as wide as the widest vehicle that will use the route; footpaths will be a minimum of 3 feet wide.

Tracked or other vehicles, that disturb the soil are authorized for use only in areas that have been surveyed and no anomalies have been detected.

Erosion and weathering will typically cause some UXO items to leach to the surface or otherwise be uncovered. In cases where access corridors or sampling sites have not been surveyed or traversed for a period of time, additional UXO surveys may be required. The decision regarding the performance of additional

surveys will be made by the FTMC UXO team leader and the IT FTMC UXO Safety Officer. The site superintendent will be notified of this decision. This decision will be based on, but not limited to, such factors as: the amount of time since the last survey was performed; the weather during this period; the terrain in the area of concern; and the type and quantity of UXO found during initial surveys.

4.2 Vegetation Removal

In cases where removal of large trees or other types of vegetation is required, the following procedures will be followed:

- The UXO technician will survey around the base of the tree or vegetation, and, if no anomaly is detected, direct the bulldozer or other equipment to proceed. If an anomaly is detected, the location will be recorded and marked and another route will be selected. The size of the area to be surveyed will depend on the size of the suspected root system of the tree to be removed.
- Once the tree has been pushed over, the UXO technician will survey around the root ball and the area in and around the hole. If an anomaly is detected, the anomaly will be recorded and marked and an alternate route will be selected. If no anomaly is detected, the UXO technician will direct the equipment operator to proceed with the excavation.

4.3 Road Maintenance

Remote range roads and trails frequently require a certain amount of repair to remain passable. This section describes authorized actions regarding the maintenance of dirt or gravel range roads by IT UXO personnel.

- Bulldozers or grader-type equipment is authorized to repair roads and trails as long as a UXO survey has been performed and no anomalies have been detected.
- The UXO technician will observe the blade of the equipment as the earth is moved. If a potential UXO is uncovered, the UXO technician will signal the equipment operator to immediately stop the equipment. The UXO technician will then attempt to visually identify the object. If the object cannot be positively identified as a non-hazardous item, the

equipment will be moved, the location of the object marked and recorded on the IT FTMC Unexploded Ordnance Report Form (Attachment 3), and the route changed to avoid the object. If no suspicious objects are detected, the equipment will continue to move earth at a rate of no more than one foot of depth at a time. If, more grading is required after the first pass is complete the UXO technician will perform another survey. If no anomalies are detected, the equipment can repeat the grading process. If an anomaly is detected, the operation will be halted and the route changed.

- After an area has been surveyed and no anomalies have been detected, soil can be removed at a rate of no more than one foot per lift. If additional grading is required, a survey will be performed after each one-foot increment the soil has been removed.
- Earth may not, at any time, be moved at a rate of more than one foot in each lift.

5.0 FTMC UXO LOG BOOKS

All UXO team leaders or UXO technicians supporting HTRW operations will maintain a logbook. The purpose of the logbook is to record UXO actions and activities taken at each work site.

5.1 Responsibilities

UXO personnel will maintain an individual daily logbook of work activities.

The logbooks will be routinely inspected weekly by the UXO QC Officer and will be made available to the FTMC site superintendent upon request. Copies will be made daily and filed in the IT Field Project office.

Logbooks will contain bound and numbered pages. Entries will be on successive pages as work is performed. The individual using the logbook will sign the page after the last entry for that page has been made. Logbooks are part of the project legal file and will be filed with the project files upon completion of each investigation.

5.2 Data Requirements

As a minimum, individual logbooks will contain the following information:

- Date, time and location of UXO activities
- Personnel involved in the activities
- UXO activities performed, including UXO/anomalies found
- A description of areas swept
- A record of the magnetometer or other equipment used, including instrument serial number
- Weather conditions.

The IT FTMC QC Officer will utilize the IT FTMC “UXO Avoidance Quality Control Report” (Attachment 4) to document checks of field activities.

Additionally, UXO personnel will complete IT FTMC Form “UXO Sketch Log” (Attachment 5) and IT FTMC Unexploded Ordnance Report Form. The “UXO Sketch Log” will contain a description of activities, including the dimensions of the area surveyed. A description of the length and width will be recorded, as well as the manner in which the survey was performed. These forms will be completed as required and presented to the site superintendent.

ATTACHMENT 1

FTMC Employee Certification (Example)

I certify that (name of individual) has fulfilled all UXO orientation requirements and has been observed by me for a period of 3 work days and is therefore eligible to perform UXO activities at FTMC.

Jim Kerr
FTMC UXO Safety Officer

ATTACHMENT 2

Magnetometer/Metal Detector Functions Test Data Sheet

Each magnetometer and/or metal detector will receive a function test at the beginning of each workday and after changing batteries. The function test will include operating the magnetometer/metal detector over a test area developed specifically for ensuring that detection instruments are operating properly. Instruments that do not pass the function test will be tagged out until repairs are made or a replacement instrument is available.

Project Number: _____

Instrument Model: _____

Instrument Serial Number: _____

Date	Person Performing Test	Function Test Results	Remarks

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ATTACHMENT 3

Unexploded Ordnance Report Form

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ATTACHMENT 4

UXO Quality Control Report

Project Location: _____

Date: _____

Work Site Location: _____

Day: _____

1. Personnel Involved:

2. Description of Work Being Performed:

3. Equipment Utilized:

4. Comments:

Completed By

Printed Name & Title

Signature

Date

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ATTACHMENT 5

UXO Sketch Location Log

District: _____ Hole Number: _____ Date: _____

Company Name: IT Corporation Subcontractor: _____

Parcel Location: _____ Well Location: _____ Date Started: _____ Date Completed: _____

Type of UXO Work Being Performed:

Most Probable Munition: _____

Down-Hole Depth Achieved for UXO Avoidance: _____

Total Number of Surface UXO Marked: _____

Total Number of Anomalies Marked: _____

Location Sketch/Comments:

Not to Scale

Signature of UXO Technician:

Date:

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